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Applicant's representative hereby respectfully requests that an Oral Hearing be scheduled in the aboveidentified application.

A credit card payment in the amount of \$290.00 to cover the fee is enclosed herewith and any further charges may be made against the Attorney of Record's Deposit Account No. 15-0030. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

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